



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

WILLIAM P. APPS ET AL.

U.S. Serial No. 09/844,822

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STACKABLE LOW DEPTH BOTTLE CASE  
WITH INTEGRAL SIDEWALL LOGO

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In compliance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56 and § 1.97-1.98, the attached Forms PTO/SB08A and B are being submitted herewith for consideration by the Examiner. This Statement is being filed in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(b)(1).

While this Statement is being filed in compliance with Applicant's duty of disclosure, citation of the listed references is not to be construed as an admission that any of the references are "material" as defined under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56(b).

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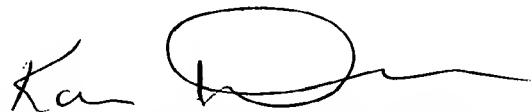
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In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.98(d), copies of the references are not enclosed because they were previously considered by the Examiner in connection with priority application Serial No. 08/854,294 which was a file wrapper continuation of Serial No. 08/480,927. Consideration and entry into the record of these references is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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